

**Appln. No. 10/649,806
Amendment Subsequent to Request for Continued Examination
filed May 5, 2004**

REMARKS

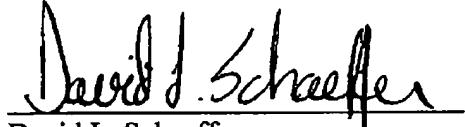
Claims 1-42 and 81-122 are pending in this application. Claim 8 has been amended and claims 81-122 have been added. Claim 1 is independent.

Prompt and favorable consideration of this application are respectfully requested.

Other than the fee for new claims 81-122, which is paid by the accompanying Fee Transmittal form, no fees are believed to be owed in connection with this Amendment. Nevertheless, should the Commissioner deem otherwise, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees now or hereafter due to Deposit Account No. 19-4709.

Favorable consideration and prompt allowance of this application is respectfully requested. In the event that there are any questions, or should additional information be required, please contact applicant's attorney at the number listed below.

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